

**April 16, 2023**  
**Divine Mercy Sunday Year A**

**Ministry Schedule for**  
**April 22<sup>nd</sup> and 23<sup>rd</sup>**

**Lectors**

Sat. Caroline Lema  
Sun. Colleen Smith

**Eucharistic Ministers**

Sat. NO EMS  
Sun. NO EMS

**Ushers**

Sat. Andy Savarese  
Bob Meierdierks  
Sun. Jim McGann  
Patrick Trim

**Prayer Line**

If you would like prayers for any serious health or personal reason, you can call Patti at 259-5290 and she will activate the prayers of at least 20 others.

**Confession Schedules**

MOAB: Confessions are heard at 4:15pm on Saturday afternoons or by appointment at St. Pius X.  
MONTICELLO: Confessions are heard at St Joseph's on the last Sunday of the Month.

**Sunday Collection**

April 9<sup>th</sup>: \$3,415.<sup>00</sup>

**Scripture Readings**  
**and**  
**Mass Intentions for the Week**

Sat. (04/15) Health & Well-being of Regina & Regina Osusky  
**Sun. (04/16) People of St Pius X**  
**Sun. (04/16) SCAP**

Mon: Easter Weekday  
Acts.4 :23 -31 Jn.3:1 8.  
Health & Wellbeing of Sandra Raucci  
Tue. Easter Weekday  
Acts.:4: 32 - 37 Jn 3:7- 15  
Wed. Easter Weekday  
Acts.5:17 - 26 Jn.3:16 – 21  
Thur. Easter Weekday  
Acts.5: 27– 33, Jn.3: 31 - 36  
Fri: Easter Weekday  
Acts.5:34 – 42 Jn6.1 - 15  
Sat. Easter Weekday  
Acts.6: 1 – 7 Jn.6:16 - 21

**Pope Francis Monthly Intention**

**APRIL**

**FOR A CULTURE OF PEACE AND  
NON-VIOLENCE**

We pray for the spread of peace and non-violence, by decreasing the use of weapons by States and citizens.

**2023 National Collections Schedule**

April 23: Home Missions  
May 21: Communications  
June 25: Holy Father (Peter's Pence)  
July 16: Pastoral Solidarity for Church in Africa  
August 6: Religious Retirement

September 10: Calvary Catholic Cemetery (Diocesan)  
September 10: Priests' Retirement (Diocesan Collection)  
October 22: Mission Sunday  
November 19: Campaign for Human Development  
December 3: Catholic Community Services

**Eucharistic Rally and Mass**

All Catholics in the State of Utah are invited to gather and celebrate the Diocesan Eucharistic **Rally and Mass** on Sunday July 9, 2023 to be held at the Mountain American Expo center. The Rally will begin at 9:00 a.m. with presentations, family and youth activities, opportunities for adoration and confession. The Rally will conclude with Mass at 2:00 p.m. with Bishop Oscar Solis. Details and Information will be shared with the parishes throughout the next months.

**The History of the Divine Mercy Novena**

“By this Novena (of chaplets), I will grant every possible grace to Souls”

**Jesus to St. Faustina**

**What is the Divine Mercy Novena?**

The Church prays the Divine Mercy Novena each year for 9 days from Good Friday through the vigil of Divine Mercy Sunday. On each day of the Novena, we pray the Divine Mercy Chaplet and “bring” to Jesus various people who need our prayers.

**Why should I pray the Divine Mercy Novena?** The central prayer of the

Divine Mercy Novena begs Jesus to “have mercy on us, and on the whole world.” We pray the Divine Mercy Novena in sorrow for our own sins, to ask mercy for the sins of our loved ones, and to intercede for God’s mercy upon the whole world.

**What makes the Divine Mercy Novena special?** Jesus himself taught these prayers to St. Maria Faustina Kowalski, or St. Faustina, a humble Polish nun who lived in the 1900s. There are many wonderful novenas and prayers that the saints have written out of their love for God. The Divine Mercy prayers are a gift Jesus Himself gave out of his love for us. It is likewise appropriate to pray the chaplet during the “Hour of Great Mercy” which is three o’clock each afternoon (recalling the time of Christ death on the Cross). In His revelations to St. Faustina, Our Lord asked for a special remembrance of His Passion at that hour.

**Operation Rice Bowl**

This Sunday is the last day for submission of our Rice Bowl Lenten collection. The money from this drive helps the poorest of the poor in third world countries around the world.

**Ministry Schedule for St. Joseph in  
Monticello April 23, 2023**

Eucharistic Ministers: No EMS  
Lector: MaryJoe Henry

**Sunday Collection**

April 9<sup>th</sup>: \$310.<sup>00</sup>